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Applicant previously filed the attached RCE on 10/26/05. Since, as of 11/23/05 said RCE was not entered into the subject application files, Applicant again filed the attached RCE on 11/23/05. As of 12/16/05 neither RCE has been entered into the subject application files. Applicant appreciates the Interest of SPE Dwayne Smith to personally enter the attached RCE. In order to remit the \$395 fee for an RCE, Applicant is sending the attached request for credit card payment to the USPTO under separate cover, facsimile transmission to 571.273.8300.

Claims as Amended						
	Claims Remaining After RCE	Highest # Previously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total Claims	56	67	-11	N/A	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	8	9	-1	N/A	\$0.00	
Multiple Independent Claims					Previously Paid	
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Respectfully submitted,

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